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RE:	RECIPIENT'S REFERENCE NUMBER: 10/826,531

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In re application of: CHEUNG et al.

Attorney Docket No.: IPVBP003

Application No.: 10/826,531

Examiner: BLAIR, Kile O.

Filed: April 15, 2004

Group: 4114

**Title: DIRECTIONAL SPEAKER FOR
PORTABLE ELECTRONIC DEVICE****CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE**

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Signed:

Patricia Tate

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AMENDMENT A TRANSMITTALCommissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	25	MINUS	25	00	x 25 =	x 50 =
Independent Claims	4	MINUS	4	00	x 100 =	x 200 =
Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid					\$	\$
Total					\$00.00	\$

- ☐ Applicant(s) hereby petition for a _____ - month extension(s) of time to respond to the aforementioned Office Action.
- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-3874 (Order No. IPVBP003).
- ☐ Enclosed is a Credit Card Payment Form for the amount of \$_____ to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.
- ☐ Please charge any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 50-3874 (Order No. _____).

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT A

Mail Stop _____
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 23, 2007, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are reflected on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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